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In re Application of )  
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Serial No. 09/587,662 ) Examiner Josephine Young  
Filed: June 5, 2000 ) Group Art Unit 1623  
For: Methods and Composition for Modulating )  
Drug Activity Through Telomere Damage )

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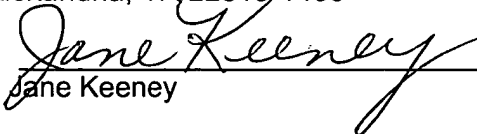
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